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Expect New "York Hotel" To Be Open On Or Before November The Fifteenth

By T. W. PUE

LAC LA BICHE—Ross Stefanik, contractor, builder and owner of the new "York" Hotel in town says that construction is going ahead without interruption. Contrary to reports, Mr. Stefanik says, the new hotel will be opened on or about November 15th and not next spring as previously reported in the paper.

The new hotel, already named the "York", will be the finest and most modern north of Edmonton. There will be 14 guest rooms without bath, and ten with bath. The beverage room will seat 400 patrons at 100 different tables. There will be a large banquet room, suitable for clubs to hold dinner meetings, and a small banquet room for private dinner parties.

The coffee shop will be of the most modern in equipment, style and appearance. There will be stools at the lunch counter for 24 diners, and accommodation for 12 at private booths.

The new hotel will have a substantial weekly pay-roll. Besides the manager, the employees will include four beverage room waiters, a cook, four waitresses, two chamber maids and a janitor.

An experienced hotel manager has already been appointed in the person of Mike Stefanik. Mike has managed hotels at Slave Lake, Tomahawk and Strome.

The new hotel is located on Main Street just back of the 5c to \$1.00 store. It occupies the site on which the old livery stable stood for so many years, and makes a fine addition to the town.

Fire Brigade Requires 21 Trained Men

The Lac la Biche Volunteer Fire Brigade needs a total of 21 trained men to meet the minimum requirements for a town the size of Lac la Biche. To date there are nineteen men on the force, which include the following:

Fire chief, E. Dobsen; deputy, J. Williams; captain, J. Zaluzny; engineer, J. Hayduck; secretary, R. Rudiger; L. Gregory, J. Onifrew, H. Marsheldon, B. Salahub, E. Shanks, O. Tremblay, W. Tardiff, L. Vincent, L. Richard, M. Hamar, J. Hamar, E. McQuitty, F. McIntyre, A. Jones.

However, the force still is in need of a few men to bring the number up to par, and to allow for those who may be away from town, sick or indisposed in time of need. Additional men are needed to train in handling the equipment to the maximum degree of efficiency in case of any emergency.

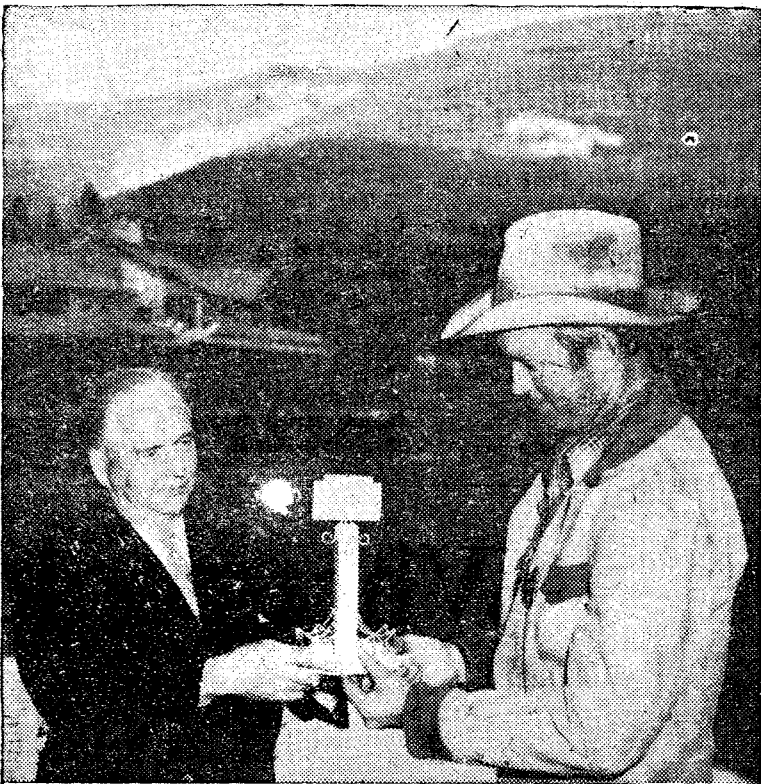
Mr. Miller, investigator from the Fire Commissioner's office in Edmonton, was well satisfied with his inspection of the brigade during Fire Prevention Week. While in town he held fire drills at the schools and gave a lecture at the Aurora theatre, and scheduled a fire drill for the St. Catharine's Hospital at the end of the week.

The brigade, in co-operation with the RCMP and the local police are willing to go all out to help the people to a better understanding of fire hazards, and ways and means of preventing fire. If a problem should arise, contact any one of the men of the brigade, they will be only too glad to help you. That shack standing on the empty lot on the corner of main street is a rough example of what can happen to your home, as the brigade so aptly pointed out during their parade at the beginning of the week.

"Indian Summer" Feature Of Weather Report

Fine, warm, sunny weather was experienced in the Lac la Biche district last week, with only a trace of precipitation all week. This enabled farmers with harvesting still to be completed to get out and bring it in. Following is the local weather bureau's summary of maximum and minimum temperatures during the week. There was no frost reported:

October	Max.	Min.
3	57.9	32.1
4	60.9	39.3
5	59.1	35.4
6	68.3	37.3
7	63.7	45.2
8	60.8	44.3
9	63.9	41.7



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THE CHILDREN REMEMBER JIMMIE — Jimmie Stewart, hero of countless movie thrillers and now in Jasper National Park with Ruth Roman and Corinne Calvet making "The Far Country", is remembered by the children of Dawson Creek, B.C. They made a replica of "Mile Post Zero" on the Alaska Highway and it is being presented above to Stewart at Jasper Park Lodge by William H. Hobbs, of Montreal, vice-president of the Canadian National Railways. In the background part of the new \$3,000,000 central building at Jasper Park Lodge is shown with a Canadian Rockies range towering above it.

Rev. J. E. McGrane Receives Medal From H.M. The Queen

LAC LA BICHE — Last week Rev. J. E. McGrane of this town received a letter written on the official stationery of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II bearing the inscription of the crown and the letters E-II-R, Buckingham Palace.

The message written was: "By command of Her Majesty the Queen, the accompanying medal is forwarded to Rev. J. E. McGrane, to be worn in commemoration of Her Majesty's Coronation, June 2, 1953."

Funeral Held For Victim Of Accident

LAC LA BICHE—Funeral services were held at the St. Catharine's church on Oct. 1 for Mrs. Elov Walgren, with Rev. Father McGrane officiating. Floral tributes were numerous, with interment at the local cemetery.

Mrs. Walgren is survived by her husband and two children.

Lakeview Mortuary was in charge of funeral arrangements.

Mrs. Walgren was killed when her car, in which she was the only occupant, rolled down a hill and plunged over the bank.

It was thought the car had stalled on the hill and when she

tried to back down, lost control of the vehicle.

Mrs. Walgren fell out and when found, was dead with the back wheel over her body.

Left to mourn are her husband Elov Walgren; two sons, Garry and Carl, four sisters, Mrs. J. Pint of Cardiff, Mrs. Olive Auger, Mrs. Joe Tremblay, and Mrs. Harry Pruden; a brother John Cardinal and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Huppel.

Amount Of Damage To Home Not Estimated

LAC LA BICHE—The fire of unknown origin which broke out in the house of Mrs. Cherniwchan late Saturday afternoon, was quelled in short order by the Lac la Biche Fire Brigade. The alarm was turned at 5:55 and the fire was under control at 6:15 with the boys turning out in full force.

Mrs. Cherniwchan was not at home at the time the blaze started, and so far the damage has not been estimated.

Former Hotel Owners Robbed At Beverly

Wm. Gordichuk and son Walter are part owners of the hotel at Beverly that was robbed recently. They were previous owners of the Lac la Biche Hotel before moving to Beverly.

Good Attendance Marks Successful Teachers' Convention

LAC LA BICHE—The annual teacher's convention of the Lac la Biche School Division was held at the Dr. Swift School on October 8 and 9. Guest speakers included Dr. H. E. Smith, dean of Faculty of Education at the University of Alberta; Mr. A. Forbés, instructor in art at the Faculty of Education; Fred J. C. Seymour, assistant general secretary of the Alberta Teacher's Association, and Dr. W. H. Swift, Deputy Minister of Education.

An almost perfect attendance of local teachers counted toward making this convention one of the most successful.

On Thursday evening the United Church Ladies' Aid catered at the banquet prepared by their members. The latter part of the evening was devoted to a dance at the Memorial hall, with a good attendance.

The convention sessions on Friday were lightened by the presentation of vocal and dance selections performed by the children of the Dr. Swift School.

Fire Brigade Holds Benefit Show For Sick Chief

Activities during Fire Prevention Week included a benefit show, sponsored by Mike Maccagno, owner of the Aurora Theatre. The proceeds, which, amounted to some \$165.00, were turned over to the Fire Brigade, who, in turn, made a presentation of this amount to Robert Stubberfield, the former chief of the brigade. Mr. Stubberfield has been confined to bed with a serious heart ailment, for the past eight weeks, and this was the brigade's way of lending a helping hand in need, and to express their sympathy to the family.

It will be some time before "Bob" can resume his duties with the boys, but in the meantime he is keeping busy, at least so we hear, by doing a bit of knitting to while away the tedious hours. Everyone is looking forward to the day when Bob will once again be present at the meetings with his helpful suggestions.

Annual Fur Farmers' Day, Friday, Oct 30

October 30 will once again see the Annual Fur Farmers' Field Day, which will be held at the Memorial Hall. This is an annual gathering of farmers in the Lac la Biche and Plamondon districts, with judges and the Fur Farmer Supervisor being present from Edmonton.

In charge of arrangements will be E. Hogan, H. Cramer, Paul Sampetro and Mike Maskalyk, and they promise to have some refreshments on hand for all present.

United Church News

Lac La Biche
Minister, D. A. Greenough, BA, BD

Sunday, Oct. 19, 1953
Sunday School—10:00 a.m.
Morning worship—11:00 a.m.
Evening worship—7:30 p.m.

Rich Lake
Sunday School—3:00 p.m.
Worship service—2:30 p.m.

Last Sunday's church service saw the christening of two children, Fraser Charles Brinsmead, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Brinsmead, and Colin Whitfield Williams, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Williams.

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Saturday, Oct. 17—
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Sunday, Oct. 18—
"Barefoot Mailman"

(Comedy). You'll enjoy this dandy down to earth feature. Sponsored by the Lac la Biche Fire Brigade. 8:30 p.m.

Mon. and Tues., Oct. 19-20—
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UNIVERSITY HONORS FOUR

EDMONTON (BUP) — Four prominent members of the engineering profession will be given honorary degrees of Doctor of Law at the University of Alberta's convocation October 31.

The degrees will be awarded to G. A. Gaherty, president of Calgary Power Ltd.; William G. Jewitt, assistant general manager of the Consolidated Mining and Smelting Co.; I. F. Morrison, a University of Alberta instructor for over 40 years; and J. G. Spratt, president of the Anglo-Canadian Oil Co.

BAPTIST UNION HOLDS MEETING

EDMONTON (BUP)—The Baptist Union of Western Canada met here Friday, presided over by Mrs. J. B. McDonald of Winnipeg, the group's first woman president.

Rev. Spurgeon Hirtle, formerly of Edmonton's Strathcona Baptist Church and now at Fairview Baptist Church, Vancouver, returned to the city for the sessions.

Other guests included Rev. Ralph Easter, Victoria, vice-president; F. T. Stinson, Regina, second vice-president; Rev. A. G. Elliott, Saskatoon; Rev. Edgar Bailey

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EDMONTON (BUP) — The Associated Canadian Travellers will sponsor their annual "Search for Talent" series for the seventh year, it was decided at a week-end meeting of the group.

The series, which will feature a professional entertainment troupe headed by Jack Dennistoun, will get under way at Legal on Nov. 7.

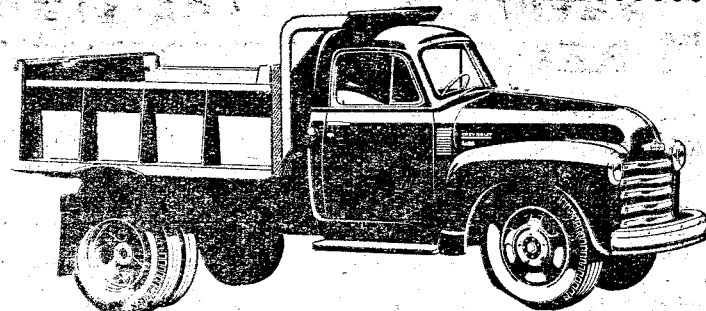
The week-end meeting, at Edmonton's Corona Hotel, also featured the presentation of a \$1,000 cheque to the Alberta Crippled Children's Fund.

Donated by Mayor Laurie Rasmussen, on behalf of the Viking Hockey Club, the cheque launched the ACT'S annual campaign in support of the crippled children's fund.

Proceeds from the search for talent series will also go to the children's fund.

First Baptist Church, Edmonton; and Rev. George Edward, Strathcona Baptist Church.

Routine business was discussed by the 40-board members present.



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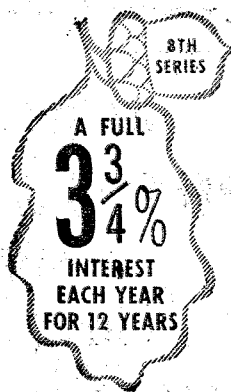
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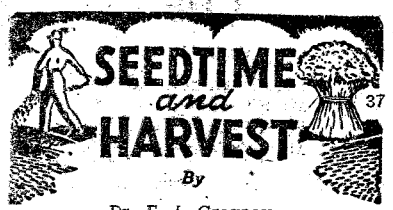
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Indirect Tax
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 "Why is that an indirect tax?" queried the teacher.
 "Because," answered Bobby, "the dog doesn't pay it."



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"Head Blights" Cause Crop Losses
 "Head Blight", and not rust, has been one of the main causes of disappointing yields and lowering the bushel weight of grain crops, especially barley, in many districts of Western Canada this year.
Cause and Effect. The most common forms of "Head Blight" are caused by fungi (molds), many of which live in the soil and grow on all kinds of dead and decaying vegetable matter. During the summer, the spores or seeds of these fungi are scattered by wind and rain, and come in contact with the heads of grain plants. Heads that for one reason or another have ripened prematurely, or are small and poorly filled, become severely blackened or discoloured. Cool, wet weather conditions, such as we have experienced this year, favour the development and spread of Head Blight. The disease is causing considerable concern among farmers this year not only because it is so conspicuous, but more particularly because the affected heads are empty, or only partly filled. The blackening of the heads, however, is simply an indication that the plants have been affected, probably for a considerable time, by some other trouble, such as root rot or leaf blight, which led to premature ripening of the plants and the production of empty heads; or poorly-filled heads containing small, or shrivelled grain. In barley, the result is the production of numerous shoe-peggy kernels.

Save Good Seed. Not all the "molds" responsible for "Head Blight" are capable of adversely affecting the germination of the grain, or of causing seedling blight; but some of them are. Consequently, grain from fields showing severe Head Blight damage should not be used for seeding purposes. This is one year when farmers should be sure and select their seed grain from fields that are free or relatively free of Head Blight. Owing to the fact that Head Blight is very prevalent throughout Western Canada this year, seed treatment will pay higher dividends than usual in 1954. Plan now on treating all your seed grain next Spring.

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 Throck Morton: Do you think someone can really tell the future by looking at cards?
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Balky
 Mother: Billy's just like a furnace when it comes to practicing the piano.
 Dad: You mean he's all steamed up about it?
 Mother: No. If you don't watch him, he's liable to go out.

Turn About
 Smith—Before I married, my wife made me promise to quit smoking.
 Jones—And you kept your word?
 Smith—Yes. Now, I'm doing my best to get her to promise.

The Explanation
 "Mother, daddy's lying on the porch. I think he's unconscious," said the little girl to her mother.
 "He's holding a paper in his hand and there's a round box beside him."
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At noon hour we girls wandered around the grounds and looked over the teacher's new car. Admiring it, we got in and closed the door. Then the school bell rang and we couldn't get the door opened again! Finally some boys opened it and let us out. Expecting a reprimand our teacher only laughed at us. And that made us really embarrassed.
 Lillian Duperron.
 Gourin.

A group of high school girls, of which I was one, were angry with one of our set and we were determined to give her the "brush off" on every opportunity. Seeing what I thought, another girl standing with her back to me I walked over, put my arm around her and gave her a good-natured shove. Imagine my embarrassment when I discovered it was the girl we were all pledged to ignore!
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EDITORIALS

Farm Controls Coming?

The huge surplus of grain held in storage in Canada at the present time poses two annoying questions. There is the problem of how the individual farmer is going to finance his operations when he can't sell his grain. The second question is—how can we avoid a likely worsening of this situation?

Assuming that the Federal Government is doing everything possible to sell the grain, and that the railways and shipping companies will do everything possible to deliver it, there is still the possibility that we will be producing more than we can sell.

There is only one answer to the problem of over-production and that is to have the farmer produce only what can be sold. A recent referendum in the United States showed that wheat farmers there are overwhelmingly in favor of Government support of prices and are willing to accept Government control of production in return.

Eighty-five per cent of United States wheat farmers favored Government control of the 1954 wheat crop. If the Canadian Government decides that wheat production control is desirable it should not be necessary to hold a referendum in this country. But it would probably be good politics, just the same, to give the farmers a chance to state their choice.

Arrival Of Autumn

In some parts of the world the arrival of Autumn is welcomed because it means the end of hot weather. In Alberta we don't have any hundred-degree summer temperatures and Autumn just makes official what we already know—that winter isn't far away.

This year Autumn began at 3:07 a.m. September 23. At that time the length of day and nights is approximately the same in this part of the Northern Hemisphere. (The sun rose at 5:49 a.m. for the Southern portion of the United States on a line from Charleston, S.C. to Southern California and below, while it rose officially at 5:48 north of that line.

Of all the seasons, Autumn is the most nostalgic. The first crisp days of Fall, the bright turning leaves which begin to cover the ground, combined with new wool sweaters, football, the smell of burning leaves, the brown fields and bluish smoke from country chimneys, are all familiar impressions. The weather is perhaps the pleasantest of all the year.

Because the flowers and crops are dying or dead, however, Fall is a melancholy time of year for nature's products. There is also the thought that soon after November will come the colder, harsher weather of winter.

The end of the year comes into view, and this tends to bring back memories and summations for the year, thus lending another emphasis to the nostalgic note. The days rapidly grow shorter and the nights longer, and the result is that the earth loses the heat stored up during the summer months. But, until the cold weather is actually upon us, and the days are at their shortest, the best days of the year and nature's greatest show should be enjoyed by all who are capable of appreciating the miracle of life and nature so evident around us.

Note and Comment

In 1952 a farmer in Norfolk County, England, produced 131 bushels to the acre. This is believed to be a world record.

The well-being of a people is like a tree; agriculture is its root, manufacturing and commerce are its branches and life; if the root is injured the leaves fall, the branches break away and the tree dies.—Shou-Nung, Chinese emperor and inventor of agricultural implements, 2800 B.C.

The lowest farm price was registered December 16, 1932, when the street lists quoted 1 Northern at 19½ cents a bushel.

The Bible Today

And he brought me back the way of the gate of the outward sanctuary which looketh toward the east; and it was shut.—Ezekiel 44:1.

Twin Values

As the artist has attempted to illustrate here, Canada Savings Bonds are like twins, that sometimes come to frustrate fathers along with an element of surprise.

There are, of course, many other advantages to buying a stake in the future of our great country by investing in the Government of Canada Savings Bonds. But the two most important are the subject of this little editorial, and they both make good personal reasons for buying the 1953 series.

First of all, they are the best known method of saving money at a higher rate of interest than one can get in an ordinary bank savings account. With the high prosperity enjoyed by most Canadians it is pretty important to have a dependable method of saving some of the money they're earning.

Secondly, everyone has something really worth-while to save for. And when we've bought enough Canada Savings Bonds we can then exchange them for that college education, new home or trip to Europe or the South Seas.

Canada Savings Bonds, 1953, make a good set of twins in any household.

The Rats Are Shoved Back

From The Calgary Albertan

The Pacific Coast and Eastern and Central Canada have long been infested with rats. The mountains kept them from coming east into Alberta. But they moved westward from Manitoba, the advance armies reaching Saskatoon about 12 years ago and the Alberta border about three years ago. They crossed the border along a front 100 miles or more wide, and reached up to 36 miles into this province.

Alberta had been the last, or one of the last, rat-free areas in the world. Because of the tremendous cost of boarding these pests wherever they had become established, the Alberta government very wisely tried to hold back the invasion. A professional rat-exterminator from Winnipeg was hired 15 months ago, and he announced this week that all the rats in Alberta had been killed and that all the farms in the infestation area had been rat-proofed. This with further rat-proofing and vigilance, would keep the hordes back indefinitely.

If the extermination reports are true—which we have no good reason to doubt—then this is major news. Where else have rats been driven out or back?

If the reports are true, it does mean that with considerable effort and cost Alberta can be kept rat-free forever.

Rats stay with people. They don't flourish in uninhabited districts. And most of the inhabited part of the Alberta-Saskatchewan border is wide-open country with large farms and sparse settlements. Therefore it's fairly easy to rat-proof a border like that.

But if the invasion was driven back 36 miles in Alberta, couldn't it also be driven back 100 miles or so in Saskatchewan? Isn't it a bit unreasonable to let the rats build up their forces right along the border? Shoving them back from the border would be greatly to Alberta's advantage, so perhaps Alberta should join Saskatchewan in such a campaign.

Rats invade by stealth. They are usually well established around farm buildings or grain elevators and may number a 100 or so before the first one is actually seen. Therefore there should be a broad educational campaign to acquaint farmers in particular with the signs of rat infestation. Then there should be a permanent staff of government exterminators to clean out these infestations and to continue the rat-proofing program. The exterminators can't do the whole job alone. They need an aroused and vigilant public.

This is no time to relax, now that the province is once more rat-free. Congratulations are due the government and the experts it hired, and a thorough permanent program should be arranged. A substantial sum for rat control should be included in the provincial budget each year, now that it has been proven that the pests can be held back. For every dollar spent on control now, a hundred or a thousand dollars in annual rat damage will be prevented. Government funds could not be spent more wisely.

Two Shorts, One Long

A Pennsylvania farmer was on his first visit to New York with his nephew. After they had checked into their hotel, the nephew went out and later phoned his uncle from the lobby. No answer. Puzzled, he continued ringing. Then, struck by a sudden thought, he told the operator, "Give him two short rings and a long one."

The uncle, who never answered any call but his own party-line signal, promptly picked up the phone.



Voice Of The People

Readers are invited to make free expression of opinion on any subject. Letters should be short and concise. The Editor reserves the right to condense or reject any letter.

STATE MEDICINE

The Canadian Chamber of Commerce says it's opposed to compulsory health insurance and State medicine. Such "would result in vastly increased demands upon them," "would substantially exceed the amount spent today on health in Canada." "The Chamber believes that in a free society it is the responsibility of the individual to bear the cost of medical care for himself and his family." Grants for developing health facilities "should be as liberal as possible bearing in mind that government revenues come from the people and that existing social commitments for social welfare, benefits are substantial and are increasing." The above resolution seems to indicate that the Chamber of Commerce stands on a different level of society than the common run, consequently fails to comprehend the needs of lesser men; that those who would delegate to their government the providing of health services are not free men; that individual ability to pay must continue to limit the ability of many to secure medical services. Surely to restrict or cut off a portion of our citizens from health care because they lack cash, is not good enough for Canadians nor do such views reflect any credit upon the minority who would advocate it.

Stony Plain

L.W.N.

WHEN ROADS ARE GOOD

Roads have been very rough around here lately and we are impatient to see the maintainer. Who gets the blame for this condition? The Councillor, of course! When the roads are in good condition we take it as a matter of course and as our due and yet when good road conditions prevail I wonder how many taxpayers compliment their councillor on that fact. Councillors are usually public spirited fellows who give a lot of their time to the service of the community. They are only human and a little appreciation shown, when due, could make their task appear a little easier.

Peavine, Alta.

Eustace Reddish.

FINANCE CO'S COLD HEART

Why don't the finance companies allow more time on loans for buying decent used cars? I am just one of many guys who'd like to buy a Buick or a Cadillac today, but how can I with those high monthly payments and big down payment and short term loans?

Edmonton

PAT M.

PREFERS SIBERIA

Re your article "Soviet Slave Camp Story", let me say that such ridiculous rot stinks in the mind of any common sense person.

Mr. Prychodho was put in a stuffy little cell where he had hardly standing room, let alone a place where he could sit or sleep. I presume he slept standing.

All the water supplied to 133 persons was six gallons in an iron bucket, less than six ounces per person. He does not tell us whether they all washed in it before they drank it. Perhaps they washed in it after.

Finally he was sent to Siberia in a freight car. Thousands of workers in Canada have had to steal a ride in a freight car, especially during the 1930's. He at least was given a ride. The climate of Siberia and Canada are much the same. If it is a hardship to live in Siberia, it must be the same in Canada.

Anything that can be written against the Soviet Union or the Communist Party is always welcomed by the capitalist press. In spite of it all the Communist movement goes ahead by leaps and bounds.

FRANK TIPPING.

Wildwood, Alta.

AIR FORCE DAY

May we express our sincere thanks and appreciation for the manner in which you supported our publicity drive for "Air Force Day".

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We look forward to continued good relations and your highly valued friendship in the future. Again thank you.

G. J. EDWARDS,

Wing Commander,

Chairman, Air Force Day Committee.

RCAF Station,
Edmonton, Alta.

LIKES IDEA

I notice one of the letters to the paper suggest a poetry column, and I think it would be very nice. I have a large scrap book of poems I started to collect about 40 years ago, also a book entitled "Gems of Poetry" published in 1881. I would be pleased to supply you with verses and scraps.

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While I was baby sitting the father of his 3-year-old daughter came in with prickly stubble on his face. He asked for a kiss, but seeing her Dad's unshaven cheeks she demurred with the offer: "Take your face out of the way and I'll give you a kiss."

Marjorie Rodwell.

Ranfurly.

My aunt's little three-year-old daughter ran into the house and her mother said "Give me a sweet kiss, sweetheart." After embracing her mother, my aunt said to her "that was a sticky kiss." "Oh no, it wasn't," baby daughter replied "I'm eating candy and that was a sweet kiss."

Bernice Phillip.

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LETTER TO LOUISA

GIRL IS CONFUSED WHEN TWO BOYS SHE LIKES EACH SAY THEY WANT HER

Dear Louisa:

For sometime I was going with one boy and then another young man popped up and I went with him a few times. One night, after the dance my first boy friend took another girl home, and I had to go home with the second one. Next event was a party and my boy friend No. 1 wanted to take me home after escorting another girl to the party. I like both these boys very much and they say they like me. Please advise me, if possible.

L.M.R.

Edmonton.

Answer:

It doesn't look to me as though either of these young men consider you as their "one and only" and if you're honest with yourself you'll have to admit neither of them means very much to you. My advice is to circulate among the young people of your circle and community. When true love beckons both you and your future husband will be hit so hard there'll be no mistaking cupid's arrow. Until the right man comes along, have a good time and don't take either of these boys seriously. The fact that you have trouble deciding between them is proof you aren't really in love with either of them.

LOUISA

Dear Louisa:

I am writing you a letter about my boy friend. Will you please tell me what to do? He is jealous and don't want me to speak to anyone. The only thing he wants to do is to go to the show. For myself, I like people and to go other places. What shall I do? Quit him or ask him to take me to other places. He has asked me to marry him. Will you please answer this right away?

G.B.

Answer:

Unreasonable jealousy is not a sign of love but is a symptom of selfishness. The man who doesn't want his girl friend or wife to speak to anyone else is not only selfish but lacks faith and trust in that person he tries to dominate and without those things a marriage can not be a success.

On the other hand, if you are the type who acts coquettish with every man you meet and neglect your friend when other men are around he has a right to feel neglected and hurt. But if you are just being natural and friendly to people he is very foolish to try and change your ways.

As to going other places — what kind of places are they that you wish to visit. If they are dance

halls and your friend doesn't dance, I can understand why he doesn't want to go. But if they are sociable gatherings in your community, I think you would be wise to tell him that you like such affairs and want him to enjoy them too.

Unless you can adjust yourselves to each other a little better than you have so far I can't see where your marriage would be a congenial one.

LOUISA

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Grabs Handbag, Flees

EDMONTON — Police are hunting a youth who knocked down a woman on a suburban street, last week and escaped with her handbag containing \$40 in cash.

Mrs. Ethel Charlesworth told police she had just got off a bus when the youth attacked her.

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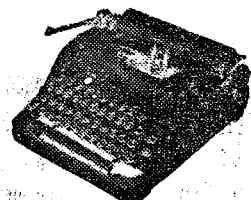
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SOCIAL CREDIT leaders have wound up a special strategy meeting in Edmonton at which plans were made to launch an "intensive national Social Credit crusade," according to party spokesmen. Seen

above are Premier E. C. Manning of Alberta, national leader Solon E. Low, and Premier W. A. C. Bennett of British Columbia.

SOCIAL CREDIT MAPS NATIONAL EXPANSION

Leaders of the Social Credit party met for a strategy session in Edmonton last week-end and set up an informal "shadow cabinet" to strengthen the bloc in the House of Commons.

Premier E. C. Manning of Alberta, Premier W. A. C. Bennett of British Columbia and national leader Solon E. Low headed the gathering.

Also present was Social Credit league president Rev. E. G. Han-

sell, National Organizer Orvis A. Kennedy, members of the league's executive of the two far west provinces, and the 15 Social Credit members-elect of parliament.

Mr. Low disclosed that the party will set up a national office in Ontario to direct expansion of the party in Eastern Canada.

The meeting was believed to be primarily a political conference in contrast to the economic and industrial discussions which took

place at the first meeting between the two premiers in Edmonton one year ago.

Low confirmed that the meeting was to "acquaint new members with what they will be up against when they get to Ottawa."

Creation of the informal "shadow cabinet" was believed to have come about when special fields were assigned to the various members so that the monetary reform party will have an expert on each of the phases of government.

All District Dogs To Be Vaccinated

According to Dr. E. E. Ballantyne of Edmonton, committee chairman of the Central Rabies Control for the Province, vaccination of all dogs north of the 55th parallel will be a major feature of this fall's program.

The line runs roughly 90 miles north of Edmonton. Dogs in the area were vaccinated earlier, but the committee feels the program must be repeated to guard against a renewed outbreak.

With some minor changes this winter's program will be essentially the same as last year's, Dr. Ballantyne said. The agriculture department will retain 15 pest control officers.

The double predator trap line established in the northern and western parts of the province this year will be maintained through the winter, the committee has decided.

Dr. Ballantyne gave these figures of animals killed to date: 35,000 foxes, 50,000 to 70,000 coyotes, 3,000 wolves, 1,700 bears, three lynx and two cougars.

The agriculture department has distributed, 25,000 cyanide gins, 27,000 strychnine pellets, enough deadly poison to equip 130 stations.

Frains News Briefs

Week-end visitors from Edmonton to the farms were: Mr. Fred Ustina, Fred Soloski, Johnny Pfau, Alex Pfau and Fred Kadylo.

Former students of Grassland high school, Victoria Kolach and Pauline Ilnicki, who are attending Alberta College in Edmonton were home for the week-end. They motored home with Mr. Fred Ustina who spent the week-end with his folks.

Miss Pauline Ilnicki and Mr. Joe Petrosky visited at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Kolach.

Grassland News Briefs

Pupils at the Grassland school are enjoying an unexpected five days' holiday with the teachers' convention on Thursday and Friday and Thanksgiving Day on Monday.

Wedding bells will soon be ringing for Miss Olga Chwedoruk and Don Corse of Lac la Biche.

on Oct. 16, and for Miss Ann Bluda, whose wedding to John Kotyk of Redwater takes place on Oct. 22.

Mr. and Mrs. Poulin of Atmore stopped at Grassland on Wednesday to say goodbye to some of their friends. They were on their way to Grande Prairie, where they will make their home.

Mrs. John Dellow of Rossland, B.C., the former Olive Murdchuk, is visiting her parents here.

The school Halloween dance will take place in the Grassland Hall on Friday, Oct. 30.

The recent spell of fine weather has the farmers smiling. Many have completed harvest operations, while some are well on the way to being finished.

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Helina News Briefs

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Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Niblock were visiting friends and relatives in Calgary and Vegreville, Alta., a few weeks ago.

Miss Annie Midwinter and her brother were visiting at the home of Mrs. Eli Onciul.

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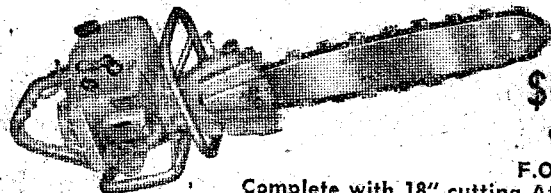
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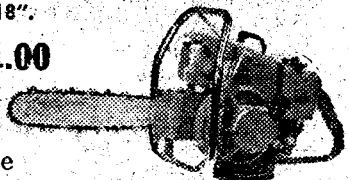


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Farmers Ask for New Markets

Aggressiveness Urged On Board By Farm Unions

By British United Press

The Interprovincial Farm Union council has asked the Canadian Wheat Board to adopt an "aggressive" sales policy to find new market for Canadian grain.

The request was made as the council presented to the board in a meeting in Winnipeg a schedule of recommended cash advances to prairie farmers for farm-stored grain.

ASK CASH ADVANCES

The council, representing the powerful Farmers' Unions of Alberta, Saskatchewan and Manitoba, urged immediate introduction of the proposed cash advances schedule "because the present grain tie-up apparently makes an increase in the delivery quota virtually impossible now." The council pointed out the current initial delivery quota of three bushels per cultivated acre did not enable farmers to meet current and winter expenses.

The Farmers' Unions claimed the quota system is "completely inequitable and unsatisfactory" at the local level and urged the regulations be changed so farmers could have the option of choosing their delivery points.

The council warned that many prairie farmers have to dump their 1953 grain crop on the ground through lack of farm storage facilities. Many of those that had grain bins on their farm still were holding grain from last year's crop because of plugged elevators and terminals, which were not emptying because of a slackening in export shipments of grain.

The Farm Union Council told the Wheat Board it should "adopt an aggressive sales policy in the hope new markets can be found for Canadian grains," and the board also should consider some "practical method in regard to the convertibility of sterling, or a barter policy" to increase sales to Britain.

The Wheat Board was urged to counteract what the inter-provincial council termed "bearish propaganda" which "appeared designed to depress the wheat market unduly."

The council asked for cash advances on the following basis:

For wheat — One dollar per bushel basis No. 1 Northern on the farm, up to a maximum of 15 bushels per seeded acre.

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For oats — 40 cents per bushel basis No. 2 C-W on the farm, up to a maximum of 25 bushels per seeded acre.

The council added that interest on the cash advances should only be charged when approved storage facilities were provided.

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News Briefs

Mr. Albert Hoffin who has been working at Champion, Alta. all summer, is now home.

Mr. Freddie Henson has been transferred to Edmonton from Vancouver. He visited his parents at Noral over the week-end.

The extra-gang working on the railroad has moved to Noral.

Miss Dorothy Walter spent the week-end visiting her parents at Red Deer. She also attended the teachers' convention in Lac la Biche on Thursday and Friday.

Grand Prairie Family Returns From Scotland

BOYLE—Mr. and Mrs. George Craig and Geordie have just returned from a three-month holiday with George's friends and relations in Scotland. They spent Friday and Saturday with Mrs. Craig's folks, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Andruski in Boyle and continued on their journey to their home in Grande Prairie on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Allan Carpenter are proud parents of a son born on September 29 in the Athabasca hospital.

The harvest dance held in Boyle on October 2 was very poorly attended.

Teachers' convention on Monday and Tuesday will mean two days' holiday for the Boyle children.

Egg Lake News Briefs

In September, Mr. and Mrs. Bedard of Joussard, Alta., paid a visit to their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Girard. They were taking their four children to the convent at Lac la Biche Mission, where they will go to school.

Mr. Al L'Heureux made a business trip to Edmonton recently.

Mr. Harold Olson, who works for the Western Geophysical Co. at Wetaskiwin, has had a harvest leave and is spending some time helping his father, Mr. H. M. Olson.

Mr. and Mrs. Armand Ostiguy and son Reginald came one week-end recently to visit relatives. They also went to visit Mr. Ostiguy's father at Lac la Biche, who has been quite sick. Mr. Isale Ostiguy has lived at Egg Lake for many years. He was one of the first settlers in this district and is wished a speedy recovery.

Threshing is in full swing. If the nice weather continues, everybody will have a chance to finish threshing.

Now You Too Can Grow Ming Trees

The International Miniature Tree Club has opened an office in Edmonton at 10045 103 Ave., where you may obtain seeds, chemical and the cultural instructions necessary to grow dwarf Ming trees. All you have to do is join their club and all data is then supplied free of charge.

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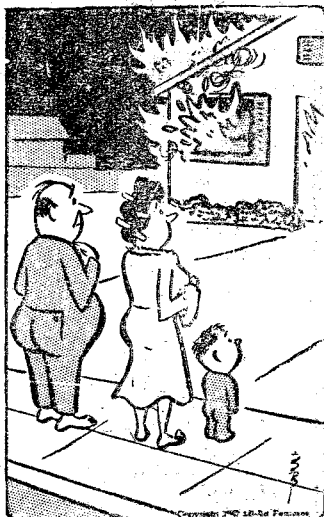
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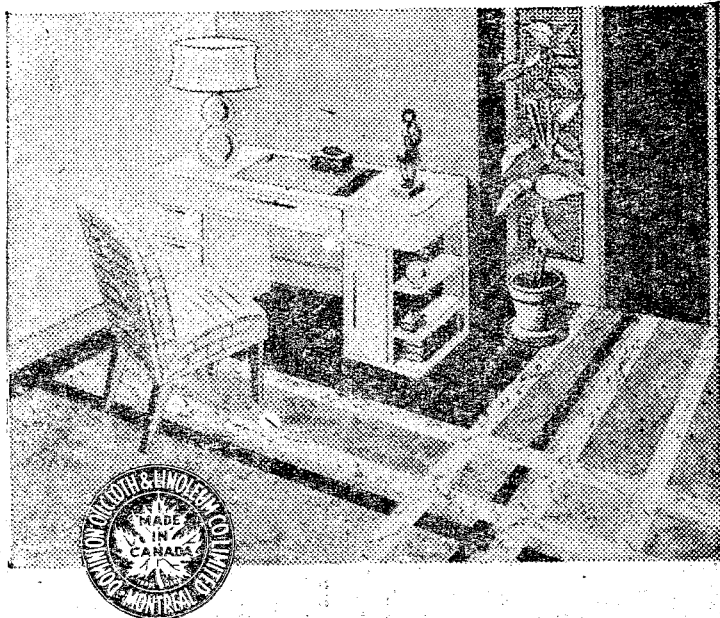
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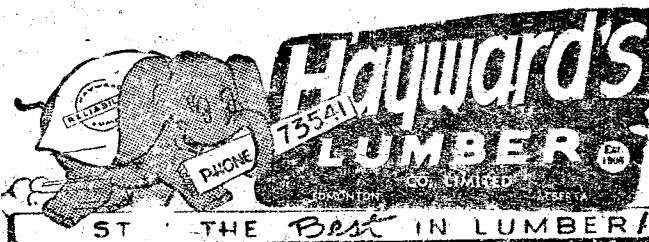
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Caslan News Briefs

Mrs. E. Johnson was visited by her sister from Washington. She also had her daughters, Marian of Venice and Doris of Lac-la-Biche, and their husbands at home recently.

Mr. J. Bury and son Willard motored to Edmonton. Willard remained in the city for a week to visit relatives.

Mr. F. Kruëger came from B.C., where he is employed, to visit his family.

Mrs. Slamko returned to Edmonton with relatives for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Duckworth and family of Boyle were visitors at the Krumpic home recently.

Mr. Donald Henson has arrived from Saskatchewan to visit his parents.

Mr. Peter Patrick, who is employed in Edmonton, came to Caslan for a short stay.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Johnson were in Edmonton for medical check-ups.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Cherniweh have moved into their house in Caslan.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sawka were Edmonton visitors during the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Kowalchak motored to Edmonton during the weekend. They were accompanied on the trip by Miss Gladys Henson, Mrs. Wm. Gibrak and Bob Gibrak.

The technicolored film "Ten Tall Men" was enjoyed by the Caslan community on October 5.

of Mr. and Mrs. Arsen Duperron, and Johnny Plamondon, son of Mr. and Mrs. Benoit Plamondon, both of Breynat, will be married on October 28.

Sinclair Gauthier sold his eight-foot Cockshutt combine and purchased a 10-foot self-propelled Massey-Harris. Emile and Alcide drove it from St. Paul to Plamondon in 18 hours. They travelled all night, taking turns at sleeping in the hopper.

Mrs. Rene Legal of Atmore recently won a wrist watch in a contest by Western Mail Order House of Edmonton.

Mrs. Louis Chevigny is teaching grade one in place of Miss Madeleine Lanouette. Miss Lanouette is going back to St. Front in Saskatchewan, where she will soon be married.

Mr. Roland Piquette has bought a 1953 light green Studebaker. Armand Fartier bought Roland's other car.

Miss Rita Germain of Wandering River and Emile Gauthier are now engaged to be married.

Mr. Harold Belanger is building a nice big garage for the school bus that was mentioned some time ago in previous reports. He has quite a few men working for him, and it should be finished soon.

The school children were all very happy because there was no school for a few days, due to the teachers' convention.

Only One Tender; No New School Built

LAC LA BICHE—The Department of Indian Affairs has not proceeded with construction this fall of a new school at Beaver Lake Mission. Apparently, in a call for tenders, only one tender was submitted and it was decided to delay plans for a new school for another year.

Meanwhile, classes are being held in the Mission rectory. Eighteen pupils attend school.

QUESTIONS and ANSWERS about Cancer

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Preparing For Skating Rink

PLAMONDON—The town will have a good skating rink again this year if early preparations mean anything. The location has been changed, and it is being levelled out. It is still in the school yard, but closer to the creek where the water is hauled from to flood the rink. It is located behind Wilfrid St. Jean's house.

Repairs are being made on the nurse's home and also a foundation will be put under it. A cement walk is being continued from the front to the back.

Mrs. Andre Gaudet was quite ill with pneumonia. She is recovering now and Miss Doris Stratton is working there.

Miss Jeanne Duperron, daughter

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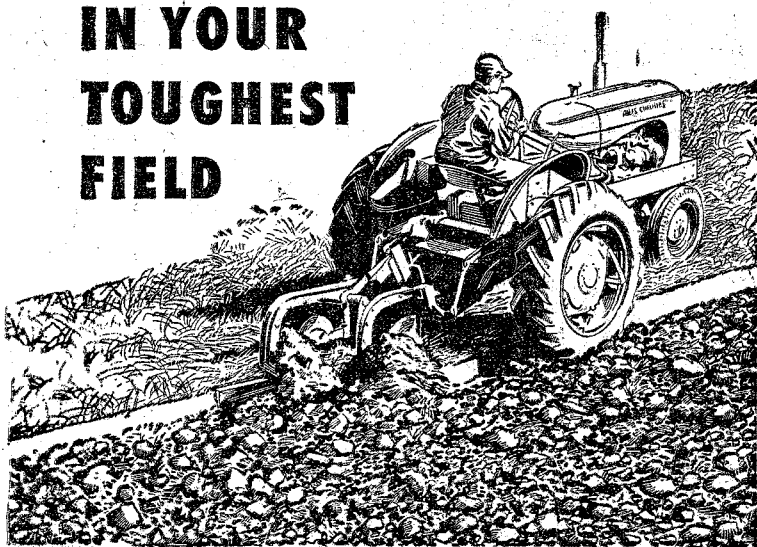
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Bowling Season Gets Off To Good Start

LAC LA BICHE—The Lac la Biche WI Bowling League got off to a fine start last Wednesday night, being the first league to commence bowling this season. Participants were on deck early and eager to get started.

Periodic moans and groans of disgust were emitted quite frequently, which only goes to show how quickly one can get rust during the lazy summer months. None the less after the first few frames the ladies were getting back into the swing of things, and promised that next week they'd really be on the beam.

Top honors of the evening went to Miss Vickie Warawa with a score of 276. Runners up were Mrs. Rose McIntyre, 185; Mrs. Ruth Proctor, 183; Miss Angeline County, 183.

Grassland Men Fined \$25.00

Two gentlemen from the Grassland district appeared in court before Magistrate Franchuk for having ducks in their possession before the season and were found guilty and fined \$25 and costs, with confiscation of their guns.

Two Hylo farmers were fined \$10 and costs for causing a disturbance in a public place.

A local man pleaded guilty to unlawfully damaging a dwelling to the extent of \$10. A fine of \$20 and costs was imposed, or in default, 60 days imprisonment. The fine and damages were paid.

Plamondon News Briefs

Mr. Harold Belanger is driving a new school bus which will carry 54 passengers.

Mr. Alvey Gauthier had the misfortune of losing two sheep when they were destroyed by coyotes.

Mr. Oscar Bourque of Lac la Biche Mission is employed at the home of Mr. Oscar Schaulé for threshing.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Gauthier from Edmonton were here last Sunday to visit their parents and friends.

Mr. Roland Piquette is sporting a new Studebaker car.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Richard are now leaving the farm to their son and they are moving to Plamondon.

Mr. Albert Godin is employed at the place of Mr. Oscar Schank for threshing. It was 12 years that he hasn't threshed and he said he like to be on the threshing machine once more.

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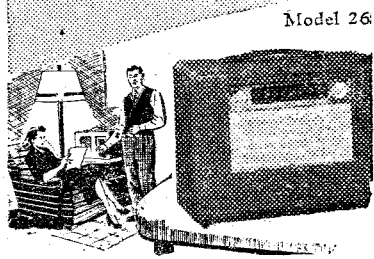
Lac la Biche Garage Takes On New Look

The Rudigar family, father and son, have had the Lac la Biche Garage recently re-painted, and it presents a pleasing appearance all decked out in bright new paint. Bruno Bourassa, a local painter, did the painting job.

Bob Rudigar, who has just turned 21, has received his journeyman's license for mechanical work. Bob also does a high-class brand of welding. With the help of Romeo Jervais, mechanic, he also does lathe work, reboring and body welding and paint work.

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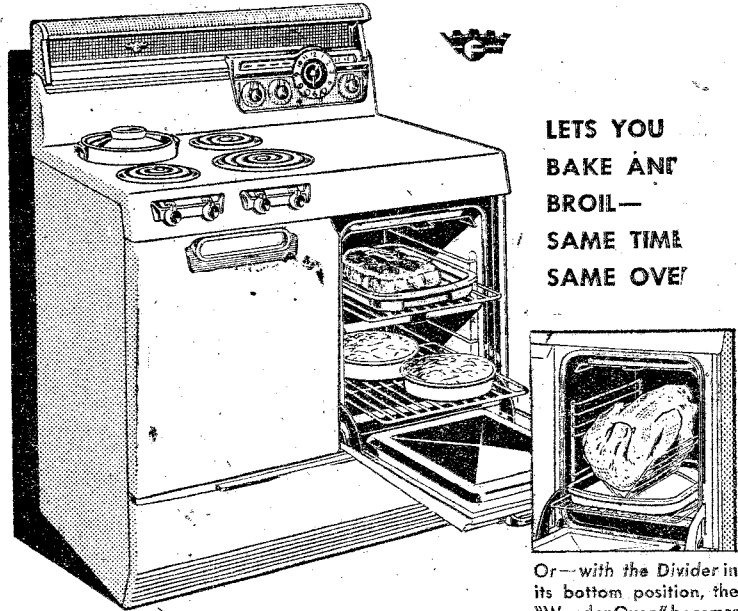
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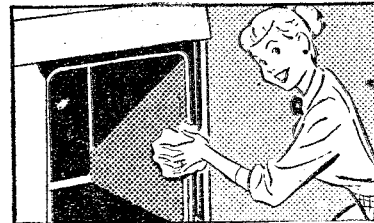


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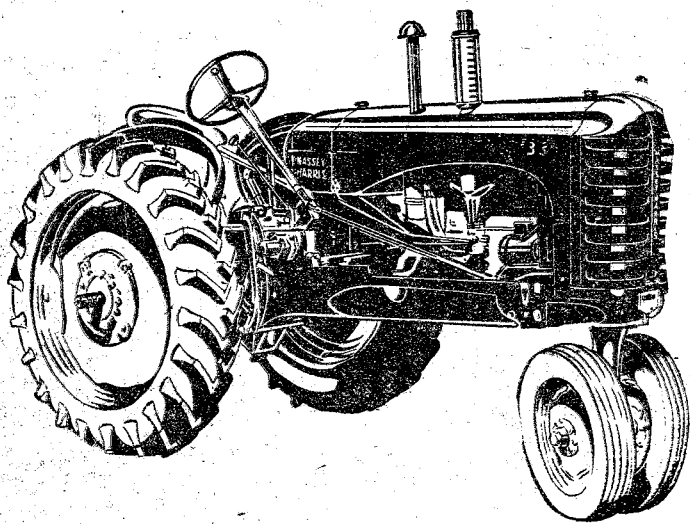
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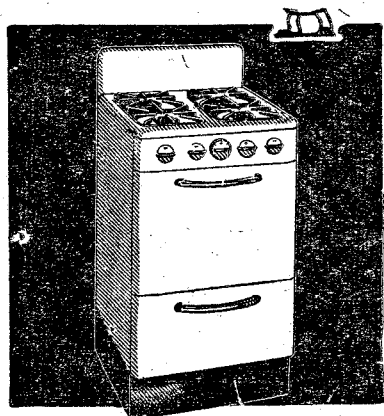


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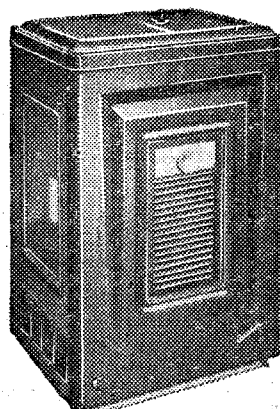
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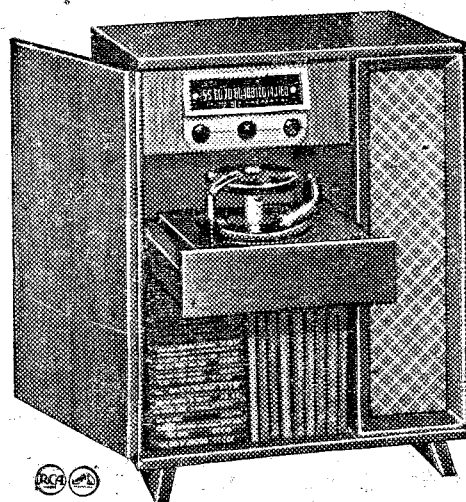
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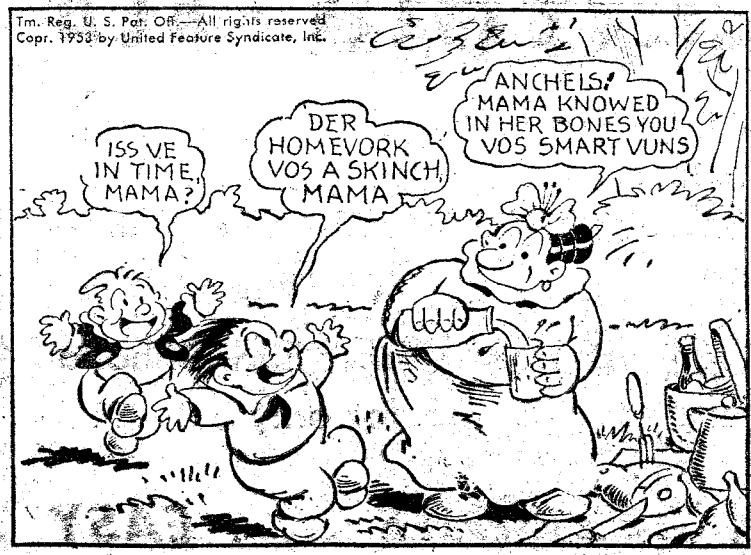
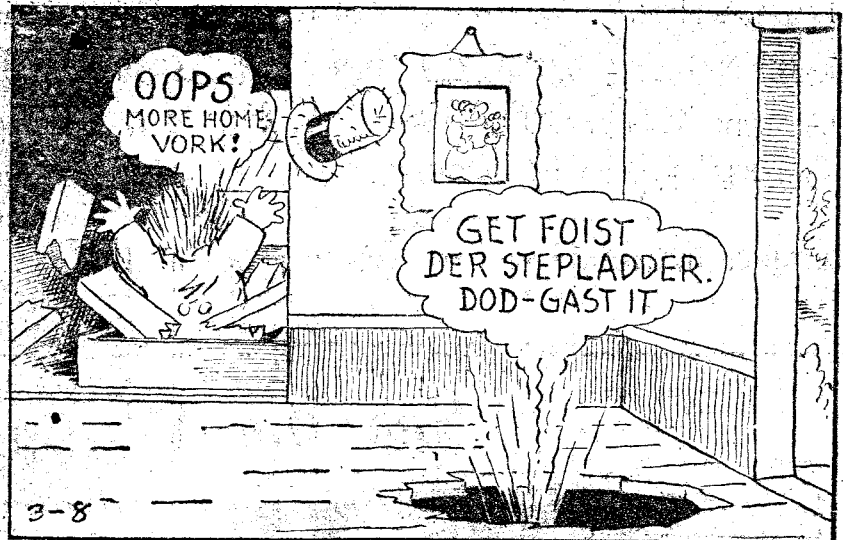
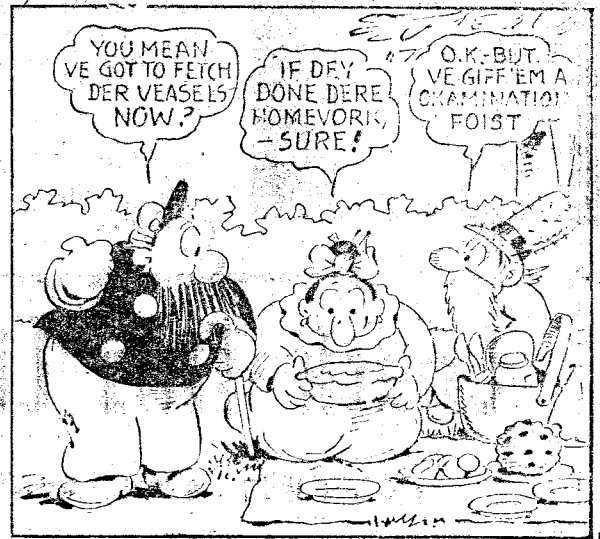
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HEALTH UNIT NOTES

Family's Early Influence Molds Child's Character

The chief purpose of family life is to protect children while they are unable to look after themselves and to train them so that they will be useful and happy as they grow up in the larger world outside the home. By your loving care you give your children the warm feeling of belongingness that will later develop into the knowledge that there is a place in the family circle that only they can fill and, still later, that they have something within themselves to contribute to society.

The good physical care you give your children will help to make them safe and healthy. The habits and attitudes they acquire will influence the way they behave, the way their minds work, and the way they feel about things their whole lives long.

Since a child comes into the world without any habits, it is easy to see that he may just as easily learn good ways of doing things as poor ways. A child learns quickly to do the things he likes to do. For that reason acquiring good habits should be made as easy and as pleasant as possible.

A young child so often copies what he sees others do that it is important for other people in the family to behave as they want him to behave. A little child also absorbs the attitudes of those around him as a flower absorbs rain and sunlight. By your own attitudes you can help your little children to be free from unworthy fears, to be truthful and fair, and to tackle their problems with resourcefulness and courage.

THE BABY'S CLOTHES

All the clothing that a baby needs in hot weather is a sleeveless shirt and diaper. In cold weather a shirt with sleeves, diaper, kimono, and perhaps a sweater will be needed. Booties are too easily kicked off to be

practical. As soon as your baby begins to stand and creep he should wear garments that give him necessary freedom of movement.

Nightgowns that open all the way up the back are to be preferred. Since they may be drawn to one side when the baby is laid down, they will not get so damp as if they lay under him. Shirts should be loose so that they will not have to be pulled and tugged on. Abdominal bands should be discarded as soon as the navel cord drops off, as their only use is to hold the dressing over the cord.

Rips Roof Board, Prisoner Escapes

JASPER PLACE (BUP) — A man charged with intoxication and assaulting a policeman escaped from his cell in the town jail last Wednesday.

Police said George Hodgson, no fixed address, escaped between 5 and 8 p.m. He tore a roof board loose in his basement cell, and crawled beneath the ground floor to the next cell which was open.

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Donated by the CPR the "tree planting railway car" exhibit visits in Alberta from Oct. 2 to Nov. 20. Meetings are held in the car at each point on the itinerary. When schools are open pupils visit the car during school hours.

Sound films show the results obtained by farming people through planting trees, and give practical instructions in tree planting and home beautification. An illustrated talk covers planting methods, what trees to plant, the laying out of a shelter belt and information on the care of trees and shrubs. A question period follows.

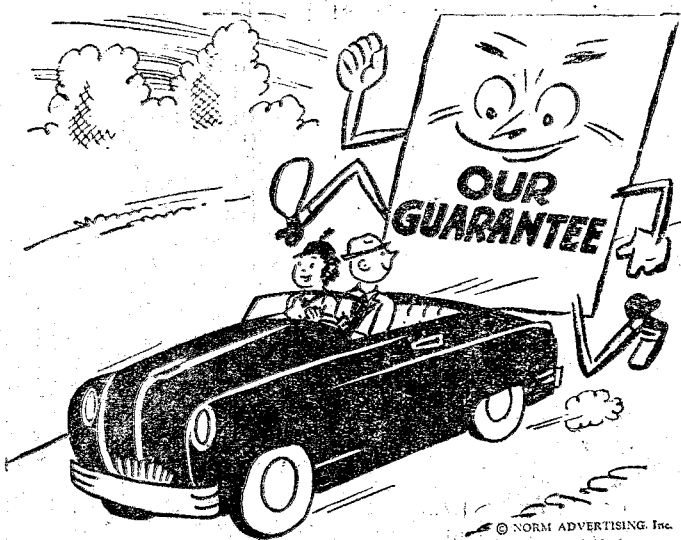
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Rockford; 6, Rain; 7, Rosebud; 8, Red Deer; 9, Vayner; 10, Beynon; 12, Munson; 13, Rosedale; 15, Drumheller; 16, Rowley; 17, Morrin; 19, Scollard; 20, Rumsey; 21, Fenn; 22, Big Valley; 23, Stettler; 26, Donalda; 27, Red Willow; 28, Edberg; 29, Meeting Creek.
November 2, Michichi; 3, Delia; 4, Craigmyle; 5, Watts; 6, Hanna; 9, Richdale; 10, Stanmore; 11, Scottfield; 12, Youngstown; 13, Chinook; 14, Cereal; 16, Lanfine; 17, Excel; 18, Oyen; 19, Benton; 20, Sibbald.

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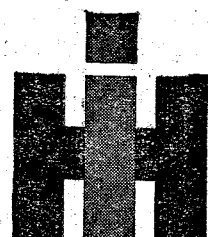
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"Canada, enjoying ideal conditions for the production of electrical power . . . has over one horsepower for each member of the population." This is significant, the review notes, when it is recalled that one horsepower represents the energy needed to raise 150 pounds one foot per second.

Included with the bank's review is a two-page supplement which outlines graphically the growth of electric power production in Canada, over the past 26 years.

"The final story has not been written," the review continues. While there are many nations working on the problem of electricity from nuclear sources, production from this source is not likely to be competitive with hydro-electric power for some time to come. Also, four-fifths of potential water power in Canada remains untouched.

Main sources of energy are coal, petroleum, natural gas and water power. Estimates of energy consumption in the States and Canada have been made by converting output from these sources into British Thermal Units. In 1951, the review states, the U.S. used 260 million B.T.U.'s per capita, against 201 million in Canada. Both countries obtained about 38-40 per cent of their energy from coal but water power accounted for 33 per cent of the Canadian total against only four per cent in the United States.

U.S.A. Leading Producer

The U.S.A. leads all countries in production of electricity, the review points out. In 1952, its output approximated 400 billion kilowatt hours. Russia's figure is reported at about 100 billion per annum. The United Kingdom and Canada were roughly equal at 62 billion kilowatt hours in 1952. Only Norway, however, surpassed Canada in production per capita.

Dealing with Canada's electrical production, the review states that Quebec is the provincial leader with 52 per cent of the total. Ontario is second, with 29 per cent and, British Columbia produces eight per cent. The remaining 11 per cent is shared by the other seven provinces.

In terms of consumption, the review, discloses that "about 67 per cent of total output was used by the various branches of industry, 20 per cent for domestic, commercial and municipal purposes, nine per cent was lost in transmission, and the small remainder exported." The pulp and paper industry, largest single user of electricity, consumed more than one-fifth of total Canadian production in 1951, and about one-third of all electric power used by industry. Metal smelting used 17 per cent, mining five per cent.

Canadians Enjoy Lowest Rates

The B of M provides an interesting note from a Dominion Bureau of Statistics bulletin which reported that " . . . Canadians enjoy one of the lowest rates per kilowatt hour in the world." In 1951, the average U.S. consumer paid 2.31 cents per kwh, against 1.65 cents in Canada. Commerce and industry paid 1.4 cents in the States, compared with .6 cents per kwh in Canada for the same year.

Despite the rapid growth of hydro-electric generating capacity in Canada, the bank states, further expansion of facilities will be required. "Projects under way at the end of 1952 are expected to add a further three to four million horsepower in the next few years and, by 1955, total capacity should be in the neighborhood of 20 million h.p." These are impressive plans and may well provide sufficient power for the near future.

Quebec is the most richly endowed

of all the provinces in water resources while B.C. has undeveloped sites which may enable her to increase production eight or nine times over. "All other provinces have reserves of water power in varying amounts—some of them sizable," the review concludes. For Canada as a whole, estimates indicate ultimate potential development of 68 million horsepower of turbine capacity, although economic factors may be an important deterrent to full utilization of theoretical capacity. "Nevertheless, Canada's still undeveloped power resources constitute a natural asset of significance and promise."

Quick Canadian Quiz No. 139

1. Which has the greater area, the Island of Newfoundland or the Coast of Labrador?
2. In the U.S. the density of population is 50 persons per square mile. What is it in Canada?
3. In which of the three Prairie Provinces does manufacturing now outrank agriculture as a wealth producer?
4. What is the name of the reindeer in its wild state?
5. In the world, does Canada rank 20th, 13th, 7th, as a steel producer?

ANSWERS: 5. Canada now ranks 7th in steel production, was in 8th place a year ago. 3. Manitoba. 1. Labrador has almost three times the area of the Island of Newfoundland. 4. Caribou. 2. Less than 4 persons per square mile. (Material supplied by the editors of Quick Canadian Facts, the handbook of facts about Canada.)

Hollywood Actor Greatly Impressed By Beauty Of Alberta Mountains

By Courtney Tower, British United Press Staff Correspondent

BANFF (BUP)—One of Hollywood's foremost character actors, who was literally shipwrecked into his job more than 25 years ago, says his first visit to Canada's western mountain country has left him "overwhelmed."

J. Carrol Naish, perhaps better known as the lovable and hard-luck Italian immigrant Luigi in radio's "Life With Luigi" series, is on location with a film company in Alberta's Banff area.

Sporting a buckskin suit, battered hat and a beard, the actor is playing Batouche, a French-Canadian guide to the North West Mounted Police in the 1880's, in the film "Saskatchewan".

The personable, New York-born Irishman, famous for being able to speak in some 20 different dialects ranging from Oriental to Brooklynese, said he can't get over the "space and majesty of your lakes and mountains".

He was interviewed on location at Bow Lake some 65 miles west of Banff, where a small valley is ringed by ice and snow-capped mountains with the impressive Mount Eisenhower in the background.

Naish said he was "more than happy" that he had been given a part in Universal-International's story of the world-famous mountains and the Indians with whom they had to deal.

"Not only is it a good part in a good show," he said, "but it has given me the opportunity to see some of the greatest scenery in the world."

The actor, who learned seven languages to add to his proficiency in dialect during 10 years as a vagabond after World War I, said he was actually shipwrecked into his job in show business.

It was in 1927, when he signed

University Nearly Built In Calgary

EDMONTON (BUP) — The University of Alberta, one of Edmonton's most prized possessions, might have been built in Calgary if the theological department of Alberta College had not been moved to the capital city.

Alberta College, organized in 1903 by the Rev. T. C. Buchanan, teaches high school and commercial subjects, as well as music and theology.

The Rev. Dr. J. H. Riddell, first principal of the college, formed the theology department which was located in Calgary until 1911, when it was moved to its present

site of St. Stephen's college, on the University of Alberta grounds. The College, which is the oldest educational institution in the province, started with one teacher and one pupil. It now has a staff of 48 teachers who instruct about 3,000 pupils annually.



SUMMER IS GONE for another year but seven enterprising young men from the Barrhead district have memories of their service with the RCAF that will last a lifetime. Shown with their Chief Instructor at Abbotsford, B.C. airport, Squadron Leader Klufus (now at Stettler, Alta.), the above

picture includes: Lorrie Schmaus, Willie Henke, LeRoy Harvey, Willie Luchak, Earl Erickson, and Percy Perrich. There is one lad whose name we do not have, and another, Don Pickrel, is not in the above picture.

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Plan for New Town on Industry Row Brings Protest

New City Would House 10,000 Opponents Hit Town's Location

Plan to build a new city of about 10,000 population along Edmonton's booming "Industry Row" has set off a major controversy.

The Edmonton district planning commission and the Municipal District of Strathcona, in which the new town would be built, have put their stamp of approval on the development.

However, the city of Edmonton and the Jasper Place town council have gone on record opposing the project.

The proposed new city would house workers in the many industrial plants of the refinery area about five miles east of Edmonton's eastern outskirts.

The project is reported to be financed by California interests, and the syndicate is represented by John H. Campbell, Edmonton home builder.

Alberta economic affairs minister A. J. Hooke is reported to be one of the property-owners of the proposed site.

The Jasper Place council passed a resolution threatening to withdraw from the district planning commission, and also called on municipal affairs minister E. C. Gerhart to put a restraining order on the project until the government has had an opportunity for further investigation. It was felt that the development could harm Jasper Place's chances of getting new industry.

The Edmonton city council op-

posed the project on grounds that uncontrolled development would spring up between Edmonton and the new town, causing sanitation and other problems.

Much Threshing Still To Complete

ESTHER—Combining has been completed in this area, but harvesting is by no means over. There are still hundreds of acres of oats and barley stocks to be threshed, as well as baled hay to be hauled into the feed lots. Cattle are in excellent shape, and it looks like a good winter ahead for local ranchers.

GAS EXPORT DECISION NEAR

CALGARY (BUP)—The Alberta Petroleum and Natural Gas Conservation Board has called on two pipe line companies for written arguments of applications to ship Alberta gas to Eastern Canada.

Shortly after the request, I. N. McKinnon of Edmonton, board chairman, closed the hearings, which were in progress since June 8th.

The call for written arguments indicates that no decision will be made regarding the company to export gas to Eastern Canada until after Oct. 17.

Two companies are vying for rights to export gas, following the withdrawal of the application of Mid-Continent Pipe Lines Ltd. Trans-Canada Pipe Lines proposes to sell to the Toronto-Montreal

markets through an all-Canadian route, while Western Pipe Lines would ship the gas to the United States through Emerson, Manitoba. Later, Western Pipe Lines would continue a line into Eastern Canada.

Prior to a three-week recess in August, the Conservation Board established that surplus gas in the province will permit export.

Atlanta and Keyes News Briefs

Mrs. Wilfred Dickau and baby Joyce, of Mildred, Saskatchewan, are guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Sparr.

Mrs. S. H. Robinson has return-

ed from a two-month visit to Ontario and Dearborn, Michigan. With her came her daughter, Mrs. George Clackett, and her sister, Mrs. Searle of Guelph, Ontario. It is twenty years since the latter has been in the west, so has seen a great many changes.

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THE LOWERING OF TARIFFS

Several speakers at the recent Annual Meeting of the Canadian Chamber of Commerce held in Edmonton, expressed the opinion that the interests of agriculture, and particularly the export wheat and flour industry, required that tariffs against foreign goods should be lowered. Now that interests seem to be awakened, farmers and their organizations might do well to press this view on Provincial and Dominion Governments.

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Parade Of Fire Equipment Opens; Blaze Ends Fire Prevention Week

By REV. J. E. McGRANE

On Monday, Oct. 5 to inaugurate Fire Prevention Week, the Lac la Biche Fire Brigade, under the direction of Fire Chief E. G. Dobson, with the brand new fire engine, led a parade of floats around the town, including provincial government forestry fire fighting equipment.

The object of which was by this mobile method to advertise the new up to date equipment and then make the citizens fire prevention conscious. One float was a miniature house with smoke and flames belching forth. On the walls were the words "Don't let this happen to you."

However this did happen and at 6 p.m. Saturday, Oct. 10 the local brigade was called to a fire at the residence owned by Mrs. Chernichan. The building was unoccupied at the time. No one had been in residence for a week. The doors were locked and the firemen had to break in to the building to fight the fire. With no one in the house

the fire got a good start before it was noticed. This building is situated with buildings on each side of it.

The new equipment and the availability of an unlimited supply of water from the new fire hydrants brought the fire under control in 15 minutes and no damage was done to the buildings on either side. Two of the firemen, William Salahub and Ernie Shanks received minor injuries when a ladder fell and a hose got out of control.

Will Establish Office In Town

George W. Franchuk, newly appointed police magistrate, expects soon to establish an office in Lac la Biche to handle his insurance business. As magistrate he replaces Mr. Hall, who is now on the staff of Wainwright School Division. Mr. Franchuk plans on occupying the office in the Lac la Biche Hotel formerly used by Bruce Steeple as an insurance office.

Mr. Franchuk was Justice of the Peace at Lac la Biche and Wandering River. The family still resides at the latter point, although daughter Alva is attending High School in town.

Charron News Briefs

Mr. and Mrs. Edmond St. Jean spent two week-ends at Charron recently.

Mrs. Eugene Strumelak of Spruce Valley visited her sister, Mrs. Frank Dudla of Charron.

Mrs. Bill Holst has her youngest sister staying with her for a few days.

A birthday party was held for Miss Madelene Gregus on the occasion of her 16th birthday.

Mr. and Mrs. Costic Zayonc of Vancouver, B.C., were visiting at Charron. They visited their daughter Mrs. Louis Innicki and their son John Zayonc.

Threshing and combining is well under way at last. It is hoped this lovely weather will stay for awhile.

New Hotel Addition Now Open

Work which commenced during the summer, has now been completed on the Lac la Biche Hotel, and the new addition was officially opened for business last week. New and modern equipment has been brought in, and the spacious lounge now provides adequate room.

Lac La Biche News Briefs

Rev. H. Harper of Boyle officiated at the christening service of Karin Elizabeth Coast, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Coast, during the evening service at the Anglican Church last Sunday.

Robert Howarth of Edmonton, formerly of Lac la Biche, arrived by air for a few days to attend to business matters.

Miss Doreen Proctor is now employed at the Stewart Drug Store.

Pete Shipka, formerly employed by Noe Letourneau, is now working for Pawliuk's Trucking.

Miss Marie Duban, who is attending Alberta College, was home for the Thanksgiving week-end.

Mrs. W. E. Huppe, who is teaching at St. Paul, is spending the long weekend at her home in Lac la Biche.

Friends In Need Are Friends Indeed

PLAMONDON—When Mrs. Lillian Johnson had her house moved into town, many of her friends and neighbors gave her a day or two of helping to repair the building. A cellar war dug, and the wiring was done.

On Sunday night she gave a party for all who have given her

a helping hand. Mr. Emile Plamondon and his sons supplied the music for singing and dancing. A very nice lunch was served.

Mrs. Johnson is very grateful to each and everyone of her kind neighbors.

Six Die From Traffic Mishaps

EDMONTON (BUP)—Six violent deaths were recorded in Alberta during the past week-end as five persons died in traffic mishaps and one man was killed when struck by a train.

The RCMP reported that Ivor Hutchinson, 18, and Walter Norman, 20, both of Wetaskiwin, were killed when their car went off the old Pigeon Lake road; William Thompson, 73, of Calgary, was killed when struck by a car; Mrs. Clara Kuzikowski, 29, of Calgary, was killed when the car in which she was riding hit a truck; Miss Mable Gillies, 62, of Lethbridge, died instantly when struck by a car while crossing the highway; and an unidentified 73-year-old Sangudo man died when struck by a train near Rochfort Bridge.

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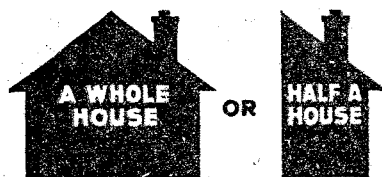
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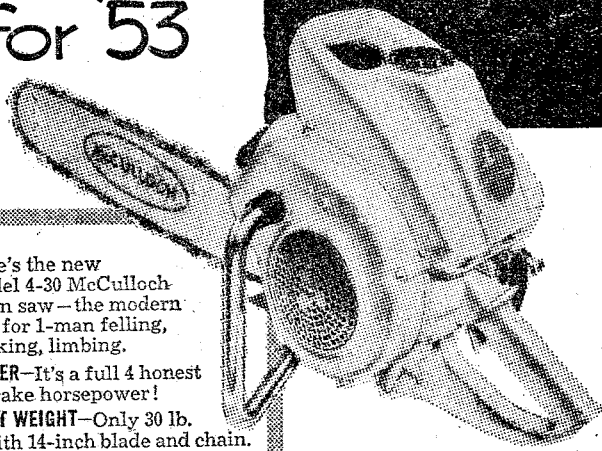
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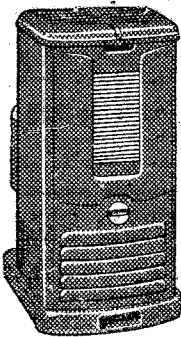
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